## VIRGINIA IN FRONT IN FEATURE RELAY

Defeats George Washington at Federal Games.

MEET DECIDED SUCCESS

Record-breaking Crowd at Convention Hall Cheers Athletes.

meets were inaugurated at the big hall a decade ago, no banks were used on the corners, but not a single mishap marred the sport. Although the fields that went to the mark in several of the individual events were the Eargest that have ever competed in these parts, there was little unnecessary roughness, and in only one race, the half-mile interscholastic, was it necessary to disqualify an athlete for fouling.

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ship, after Virginia had opened up fully twenty yards on George Washington, it appeared as though the Hatchetites were doubling, but in the third relate severe drubbling, but in the third relate and variety of the process of the college. James championship, 60) yards—Aboying, 3r., A. Reath. Ohmis A. C.-B. Lewen, E. J. Owens, M. Red, X. Stear. Trement A. C.-L. Cusillier, E. Stokes, D. S. Johnson, B. Robinson, P. T. Tamer, C. J. Weeked, G. E. Marks, W. H. Desys, C. H. Hildreth. Baltimore Polytechnic having upon the hall, On the back stretch the George Washington leader simply to realong until the caught the Virginian at the third corner. On the turns Reid guined a couple of yards and in the race down the final stretch he succeeded race of the face down the final stretch he succeeded in the large was relay GIII made a mighty try to land the pace, and Virginian was six yards in the van when the tape was breasted. In the intersectologistic events, for which a handsome trophy was offered for the handsome

catch their rivals. Schmidt, of Central, simply walked away with the mile scho- Referee-George W. Orton, University of Pennsyl-

Archie Roosevelt witnessed the sport of the most interested spectators.

nia; Dr. D. E. Wiber, Amateur Athletic Union; was by far the longest ever attempted in Union; Joseph T. England, Johns Hopkins. Demysey, Philadelphia, Pa.; Rudolph Jose, Washington; Capt. C. E. Edwards, D. C. N. G.; Dr. S. L. Owens, Georgetown; W. C. Thatener, Washington; Chief field judge—S. W. Stinemetz, Washington. Chief field judge—S. W. Stinemetz, Washington, Field judge—Foster Green, Harvard; Lieut. Andrew Drum, U. S. M. C.; Dr. G. Harris White, Georgetown; C. E. Beckett, Washington Y. M. C. A. Insrectors—W. T. Turkenton, George Washington. out delay, and the whole tournament reflected great credit upon Managers Foley

The summaries follow:

SUMMARIES OF THE MEET.

First heat—50-yard scholastic; novice. Won by R. B. Owen, C. H. S.; second, E. R. Simpson, C. S. B.; third, E. L. Bealle, H. H. S. Time, 61-5 sec-B. third, E. L. Bealle, H. H. S. Time, 61-5 seconds.

Second heat—Won by L. G. Henry, C. H. S.; Second, A. C. Levering, B. C. C.; third, W. H. Powell, R. H. S. Time, 61-5 seconds.

Third heat—Won by R. Claiborne, W. F. S.; Second, A. Lankford, W. F. S.; third, B. P. Fish-large, C. H. S. Time, 61-6 second.

Chef marshal—Dr. S. R. Karpeles, National University.

second, A. Lankford, W. F. S.; third, B. P. Fish-burne, C. H. S. Time, 6 flat.

Fourth heat—Won by A. D. Sprowls, B. H. S.; second, S. I. Whire, Ep. H. S.; third, C. M. Carter, C. H. S. Time, 6 1-5 seconds.

Fifth heat—Won by R. W. Brown, E. H. S.; and W. G. Stuart, University of Pennsylvania.

eoud, W. A. Galt, W. F. S.; third, A. Wilson,
L. S. Time, 6-1-5 seconds.
Sixth heat—Won by E. N. Corey, C. H. S.; second,
E. B. Riley, B. C. C.; third, E. G. Joubert,
T. H. S. Time, 6-1-5 seconds.
Seventh heat—Won by H. Read, B. L. S.; second,
McCartney, W. S. B.; third, G. C. Dewey, W. H.
Time, 6 seconds flat.
Eighth heat—Won by R. Burke, W. S. B.; second, R. V. Fleming, W. H. S.; third, M. Price,
P. L. Time, 6 seconds flat.

Fighth heat—Won by R. Burke, W. S. B.; second, M. V. Fleming, W. H. S.; third, M. Price,
P. L. Time, 6 seconds flat.

Second Ret, semi-final—Won by A. B. Sprowls, B. H. S.; second E. B. Riley, B. C. C.; third, R. V. Brown, E. H. S.
Third heat, semi-final—Won by J. McCartney, W. B.; second, R. Burke, W. S. B. Time, 6 sec

Burch, C. H. S.; second, W. H. Powell, B. H. third, A. E. Pagan, A. and N. Time, 6 second:

hd, R. V. Faeming, W. H. S.; third, M. Fries, I. P. I. Time, 6 seconds flat.

Ninth heat—Won by T. S. Moseley, McG. S.; ceond, C. R. Weber, B. P. I. Time, 6 1-5 seconds.

First heat, semi-final—Won by R. Claiborne, W. S.; second. A. Lankford, W. F. S.; third, A. C. evering, B. C. C. Time, 6 seconds flat. BLUE AND GRAY VS. VIRGINIA

for Georgetown Meet.

Rival Colleges Will Meet in Match Race at Convention Hall Tourney iral heat—Won by E. B. Reilly, B. C. C.; R. ke, W. S. B., second; J. McCarthy, W. S. B., ad. Time, 5 seconds.

Per scholastic; 50 yards. First heat—Won by S. on March 9-Georgetown Expects to Ready by Time of Meet.

Second heat—Won by E. C. Kemper, C. H. S.; second, J. Martin, G. P. S. Time, 54-5 seconds.

Third heat—Won by E. C. Kemper, C. H. S.; second, J. McCartney, W. S. B.; third, F. R. Gibbs, G. P. S. Time, 54-5 seconds.

Records, Quality of Sport Is High,
Central High Wins Cup Offered for Team Scoring Most Points—Local
Schoolboys Beat Visiting Stars.

Barting, F. R. Gibbs, Georgetown has purposely turned down invitations for its relay team to run in recent meets in this section in order that the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will bouts follows: Dichman defeated Leymel, Wendell defeated Leymel, Wendell defeated Knauss, Burdick defeated Leymel, Wendell defeated Knauss, Burdick defeated Knauss, Burdick defeated Knauss, Dichman defeated Wendell, Knauss defeated Wendell, Knauss defeated Leymel, and Wendell make in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the storagest team it has had since fasted Wendell, Knauss defeated Leymel, and Wendell make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance in the team might make its initial appearance in this city at the coming Georgetown will be the team might make its initial appearance Schoolboys Beat Visiting Stars.

of T. S. Moseler, Med. S.; thind, O. K. Sadler, B. S.; thind, O. S.

to cheer some highly exciting and closely contested relay or individual event.

Last night, for the first time since meets were inaugurated at the big hall a fouling.

Lorando Tried Hard.

At the finish of the second relay, in the one-mile race for the Southern championship, after Virginia had opened up fully twenty yards on George Washington, it

breasted.

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Fitzgerald, in the high jump, up to the Third round—Fassett defeated Dickinson, present time complete Georgetown's list Holabird defeated Howard, Sears defeat- set for May is likely to be called off for, Roll on, roll on, you bowiers bold, and roll your with Sources the Australian on his way. Fitzgerald have improved wonderfully since last season in the high jump, and both are expected to win places in this

The Officials,

Judges at the finish-C. Royce Hough, Pennsylva-

field event. Beckley with Cardinals.

St. Louis, Feb. 23.-Contrary to the exto-day that Jake Beckley, known as "Old Eagle Eye," would be retained by the team another season. Jake didn't have team another season. Jake didn't have team another season. Jake didn't have team another season. very good luck last year and many looked ten rounds of fighting. thinks Jake still can render the Cardinals good service, and so will keep him on the

Baldwin Wants to Meet Robson. England at 126 pounds ringside.

MIDDIES AGAIN VICTORIOUS.

PREPARE FOR GAMES Naval Academy Fencers Defeat University of Pennsylvania.

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 23.-The Annapolis midshipmen defeated the team of the University of Pennsylvania in another of the series of intercollegiate fencing contests here to-day by 6 bouts to 3. Dichman captain of the Middy trio, was the star individual performer of the match. He won STAGE FURNISHES MEAL TICKET all three of his bouts.

For Pennsylvania Wendell did some aggressive work, and succeeded in capturing two of the three bouts for his team. Jacobs, the Quaker captain, was somewhat out of form, and lost all of his Have a Young but Fast Team bouts. The closest contest was that between Dichman and Wendell, the former winning by a narrow margin.

The teams were as follows: Naval Academy, Grattan C. Dichman, captain

fact, were members of the winning team | candidates for the rowing crews and basevorable weather is anxiously awaited so

### AMERICANS BEATEN AT CHESS

Margin of Victory for Englishmen Smaller Than Was Expected.

Final Score Is 51-2 to 41-2, the Absence of Showalter and Hymes Being Responsible,

stretch was reacted with the special constant and the special constant

runner lacks the experience of the two older men, but it is claimed by many feated Howard, Harris defeated Holabird, to meet before the Davenport Athletic Bart 127

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 23.—Joe Gans, light-weight champion, and Adam Ryan went a four-round exhibition go last night.

Fighting Dick Hyland and Cyclone two should stick, lohnny Thompson, after being offered the chance to fight, are now having a word-ed fight over the weight question. This ed fight over the weight question. This captain's kick. So roll 'em, roll 'em down, and roll 'em went a four-round exhibition go last night.

Gans said he would hurl one more challenge after his fight with Britt on April In weight is getting to be monotonous in the followers of the sport.

So roll 'em, roll em, rol 10, and that would be to Battling Nelson as soon as the latter returns from Eng-land Care Left for Park 1997 Jack "Twin" Sullivan and Tommy pectations of most of the St. Louis base- land. Gans left last night for Baltimore Ryan, the middle-weight champion, may ball fans, Manager McCloskey announced for a week's rest before training for the in the near future meet in a champion-

Dave Altizer Signs with Nationals.

Has Gambled Away Fortune Won on Fights.

Passion for Ponies, Poker, and Craps Costly-Goes Wrong on a "Surething" Tip from a Friend-Tries to Recoup and Gets Deeper in the Hole-Easy for the Sharks.

sion for gambling that amounts to practically an incurable disease. The denizens of Druid Hill avenue who are intimately acquainted with him know that Gans is about the "softest thing" in the gambling ine that ever came down the pike.

He is easier than a child when he gets the "bones" or the "pasteboards" in his hands. Dice have a natural antipathy for Gans, and Gans never could and never will learn how to play poker, which is his passion next to craps. Gans' third diver-

sion is the "ponies." One week from to-day Gans got a "sure-thing" tip from one of his friends and sent \$5,000 to a New York poolroom. The "sure-thing" ran last. This heavy loss set Gans to thinking that he could recoup in a craps game, and he immedi-

five rounds in spite of a severe beating, Totals.... 394 413 336 Totals..... 376 402

Jack Purtell, of Kansas City, and Joe Byrd

Club, of Iowa, in a ten-round bout Feb- Post

ducements for Ryan to come out there and fight.

President Noyes, on his return to Washington yesterday, found Dave Altizer's signed contract with the National Signed Contract with the National Chicago with Visiting National and American League teams, and who was a member of the Can give the champion a stiff argument. New York, Feb. 23.—Matty Baldwin, the ington "fans" will be "delighted" to meet him in a bout of longer duration, from the Indianapolis club yesterday by Boston pugilist, who recently got a de-cision over Tommy Murphy, of Harlem, them this season, as every one appre-



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Philadelphia still leads the Plate Print rs' bowling league by a comfortabl nargin, with Washington second and New

DOWN THE ALLEYS. DEPARTMENTAL LEAGUE. Totals.... 847 854 794 Totals..... 829 PLATE PRINTERS' LEAGUE. 2d. 3d. 8t. Louis. 1st. 151 100 Helmerichs. 145 107 133 Spring. 150 145 106 Lang. 133 144 148 Rosenbaum. 143 190 159 Land. 214 Totals.... 712 737 716 Totals..... 805 745 BUILDERS' LEAGUE. DOBBERTS' DUCKPIN TOURNEY.

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Roll 'Em, Bowlers, Bowl 'Em, Rollers

with Squires, the Australian, on his way here, Manager McCarey is doing some tall doping. McCarey thinks that a match between Squires and Burns would be a better attraction.

With slleys true it's up to you to hew them to the Fighting Dick Hyland and Cyclone If eight or nine should tumble down and one or

Nerve them, serve them, curve them true, So roll them with agility and responsibility.

CHORUS:

Chicago, Feb. 23.-Catcher Mike Kahoe.

visiting National and American League Associations, and boys from twelve years teams, and who was a member of the of age up. The special events will be an-

CHANGES IN BOWLING RULES

Eligibility Requirement Is Done Away with for Tourney.

Membership of Thirty Days Will Not Be Insisted Upon in Atlantic City Matches-Bright Prospects.

The meeting of the board of governors 738 of the National Bowling Association in 28,780 894 738 of the National Bowling Association in 30,315 879 722 New York on Thursday was most im-719 portant in view of the changes in condi-634 tions and playing rules made in view of 881 the coming championships at Atlantic City, entries for which close March 10. It has been decided for the first year to do away with the clause which re-

quires a membership of thirty days in the N. B. A. previous to start of tournament to insure eligibility. It was unanimously decided that the last day for receiving members direct 790 into the national body or through the various city associations should be extended to March 2. That the board of governors will sit in New York that afternoon to receive additions to membership

up to that time. This was done owing to the general misunderstanding all over the country on this much-discussed thirty-day clause, According to present plans any combination of bowlers formed into clubs and sending in application for membership up to March 2 is eligible.
The date for the annual convention at

Atlantic City, in conjunction national championships, was set for March The playing rules were adopted in full. New York City has elected 85 delegates

and as many alternates to represent the N. Y. B. A. at Atlantic City. New Haven, with a city association of 175; Syracuse, with 64; Atlantic City, with 44; Paterson, Newark, Passaic, ington, Baltimore, and Reading all showed strong city associations. It is now understood that the O'Learys. Gunthers, Brunswicks, and Mineralites. the latter including Gus Steel and Frank

Brill, all of Chicago, will compete at At-The national championships at Atlantic City begin March 25. Entries close March 10, with the secretary, Joseph Estoclet, P. O. Box 12, Philadelphia.

NATIONAL GUARD GAMES. Date for Indoor Meet Fixed for

April 4. The eighth annual indoor games of the National Guard of the District of Columbia will be held at the National Guard Armory Hall Thursday evening, April 4. First and second prizes will be given for each individual event and cup and individual prizes for the relay races and wall scaling.

The following will be closed games for the A. A. N. G. D. C .: 50-yard dash-Novice.

440-vard dash-H. M. order; championship A. A., 880-yard run—Championship A. A., N. G. D. C. One-mile run—Championship A. A., N. G. D. C. Shot-put, 18-pound—Championship A. A., N. G.

Running high jump-Championship A. A., N. G. Potato race.
Three-leg race-50 yards.
Obstacle race-Team of two.

Company, battalion, and regimental relays, Wall-scaling-Team of four. In addition to the above-named games there will be open relays for athletic clubs, who often has been seen in Chicago with colleges, schools, Young Men's Christian

Shamrock Club Banquet.

in a fifteen-round bout, sends word that he is willing to fight Spike Robson, of England at 126 pounds ringside.

Is practically a green hand at the game. It is practically a green